Amendments to the Claims:

Claims 1-177 (canceled).

Claim 178 (new): A method for enhancing a hyperlink, comprising:

displaying a hyperlink in a first window of an application, wherein said hyperlink is associated with a uniform resource locator (URL) and a page;

detecting a cursor in proximity to said hyperlink;

displaying a graphical toolbar in proximity to said cursor while said cursor is in proximity to said hyperlink, wherein said graphical toolbar is adapted to provide a plurality of user-selectable link enhancements, said plurality of user-selectable link enhancements comprising a user-selectable link enhancement to display a link snapshot based on said hyperlink;

receiving a first user selection of said link enhancement; and as a result of said first user selection.

capturing a displayable element and said URL associated with said hyperlink; and displaying a link snapshot, wherein said link snapshot comprises said captured displayable element, and is associated with said captured URL, and wherein said link snapshot is adapted to cause said page to be displayed as a result of a second user selection of said link snapshot, said page to be displayed based on said captured URL.

Claim 179 (new): The method of claim 178, wherein capturing said displayable element further comprises:

reducing the size of said captured displayable element.

Claim 180 (new): The method of claim 178, wherein said link snapshot is displayed at an edge of a displaying said first window.

Claim 181 (new): The method of claim 178, further comprising:

displaying said page in a second window upon said second user selection of said link snapshot.

Claim 182 (new): The method of claim 178, further comprising:

retaining said link snapshot when said first window is closed.

Claim 183 (new): The method of claim 178, wherein said capturing and said displaying said link snapshot are performed by a second application.

Claim 184 (new): The method of claim 178, wherein said displayable element comprises a graphic element.

Claim 185 (new): The method of claim 178, wherein said displayable element comprises a text element.

Claim 186 (new): A method for enhancing a hyperlink, comprising:

displaying a first page having a hyperlink in a first window of an application, wherein said first page is associated with a first uniform resource locator (URL), wherein said hyperlink is associated with a second URL and a second page;

detecting a cursor in proximity to said hyperlink;

displaying a graphical toolbar in proximity to said cursor while said cursor is in proximity to said hyperlink, wherein said graphical toolbar is adapted to provide a plurality of user-selectable link enhancements, said plurality of user-selectable link enhancements comprising a user-selectable link enhancement to display an icon based on said first URL;

receiving a first user selection of said link enhancement; and as a result of said first user selection,

capturing said first URL associated with said first page;

displaying an icon, said icon associated with said captured first URL, said icon adapted to cause said first page to be displayed as a result of a second user selection of said icon; and displaying said second page in said first window.

Claim 187 (new): The method of claim 186, wherein said icon is displayed at an edge of a displaying said first window.

Claim 188 (new): The method of claim 186, wherein said icon is displayed as a button in said graphical toolbar.

Claim 189 (new): The method of claim 186, wherein said capturing and said displaying said icon are performed by a second application.

Claim 190 (new): A method for enhancing a hyperlink, comprising:

displaying a first page having a hyperlink in a first window of an application, wherein said first page is associated with a first uniform resource locator (URL), wherein said hyperlink is associated with a second URL and a second page;

detecting a cursor in proximity to said hyperlink;

displaying a graphical toolbar in proximity to said cursor while said cursor is in proximity to said hyperlink, wherein said graphical toolbar is adapted to provide at least one user-selectable link enhancement selected from a user-selectable link enhancement to display a link snapshot based on said hyperlink, a user-selectable link enhancement to display an icon based on said first URL, a user-selectable link enhancement to store a copy of said second page, and a user-selectable link enhancement to display said second page in a second window; and

Applicants: Ingram et al. Appl. No. 09/594,786

receiving a first user selection of one of said user-selectable link enhancements.